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Sir:

Per the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a); Form PTO/SB/22 is attached requesting a 30 day extension of time to file a response to the 12 Jan 2010 office action. \$65.00 is also enclosed to pay the required small entity fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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